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In support of the accompanying patent application, applicant amends as follows:

**In the specification:**

Page 1, prior to the first sentence: Please insert --This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C.

§ 119 (e)(1) of provisional application number 60/061,799 filed October 14, 1997.--

Page 3, line 16: Please delete "there" and substitute therefor --the--.

Page 5, line 5: Please delete "data, and" and substitute therefor --data and--.

Page 5, line 6: Please delete "medium, the" and substitute therefor --medium. The--.

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